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DECISION AGAINST HARVESTER COMPANY

INTERNATIONAL HARVEST-MUST DISSOLVE

DECISION IS FILED

Declared to Be a Monopoly in Restraint of Intrastate and Foreign Trade.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 12.—The International Harvester Company today was declared to be a monopoly in restraint of interstate and foreign trade and was ordered by a majority decision filed here by Judges Smith and Hook in the United States court.

Judge Walter H. Sanborn dissented. Unless the corporation submits a plan for dissolution within ninety days the court will entertain an application for a receiver.

The suit in which decision was handed down today was filed April 30, 1912, in the Federal District Court at St. Paul. In its petition the government asked:

That the \$140,000,000 corporation be dissolved on the ground that it was a monopoly in restraint of trade.

That injunctions be issued to bar from interstate commerce the products of the International Harvester Company or of the International Harvester Company of America, its selling agency.

That receivers be appointed to take charge of the property and wind up the business of the defendant if the court finds such action compatible with public interest.

The following corporations and individuals were mentioned as defendants in the petition:

International Harvester Co., International Plax Twine Co., Wisconsin Steel Co., Wisconsin Lumber Co., Illinois Northern Alloy, Chicago West Pullman & Southern R. F. Co., Cyrus H. McCormick, Charles Deering, James Deering, John J. Glessner, William H. Jones, Harold F. McCormick, Richard F. Howe, Edgar A. Bancroft, William J. Lunderback, George F. Baker, Norman B. Ream, Charles Steele, John A. Chapman, Elbert H. Gary, Thomas D. Jones, John P. Wilson, William L. Saunders and George W. Perkins.

The chief charges by the government against the Harvester Company were:

"That the company in monopolizing the sale and manufacture of harvesting machinery had advanced prices to the grave injury of the farmer and the general public."

"That the company controls at least 90 per cent of the trade in the United States in harvesters or grain binders, 75 per cent of the mowers, and more than 50 per cent of the binder twine."

"That the company had absorbed competing companies while allowing these companies still to advertise as being independent, thereby misleading the public and more effectively crippling existing competitors and keeping out new ones."

"That the defendants resorted to unfair trade methods by attempting to induce agents to handle only their products."

"That it bought up patents to perpetuate the monopoly."

"That in organizing the International Harvester Company the defendants planned to form a monopoly."

"That the company bound retail dealers by contract not to sell the products of other manufacturers."

"That the Harvester Company received from steel and lumber from the Wisconsin Lumber Company and the Wisconsin Lumber Company subsidiaries, which were used to eliminate competition."

"That the company used railroads under its control to obtain preference from connecting roads."

"The International Harvester Company was organized in New Jersey in 1902. Prior to that time the government declared, there were ten or



"BUSTER" DOYLE at the Bijou today in Vaudeville.

twelve establishments competing in the manufacture and sale of harvesting implements.

The alleged trust was formed through the combination of the McCormick harvesting Machine Company of Illinois, the Deering Company of Illinois, the Plano Manufacturing Company of Illinois, Wadler, Bushnell & Glessner Company of Ohio, and the Milwaukee Harvester Company.

"The company was incorporated in New Jersey with a capital stock originally of \$20,000,000. The control of the capital stock was placed in the hands of three voting trustees: Cyrus H. McCormick, Charles Deering, and George W. Perkins, who issued stock trust certificates to the persons actually owning the stocks.

The Limit

"Gink" Smith, one of the best known "young men about town" in Anderson, took a few drinks too many Tuesday night and according to those present remarked "I would give a dollar for a drink of ice water tomorrow morning at 6 o'clock, because I know mighty well that I will need it." A negro chance to be near when the statement was made and yesterday morning "Gink" rolled over in bed at his fashionable boarding house, clad in pink silk pajamas and heard the tinkling of ice against a pitcher and opening his eyes, there he saw the self-same negro, a pitcher of ice water in one hand. "Gink" was game and paid the dollar but he says that this is really the limit.

One Anderson merchant might do well to enquire into what kind of clerks he employs, according to a story going the rounds of the city yesterday. A well known farmer entered a certain store in the city (and by the way they have no wrapping counter or cashier at this store—and after trying on several pairs of shoes he decided on a \$4.00 grade. He left the new shoes on his feet and remarked "I will wear these and you can throw the old ones away. I will give you a check for \$4.00." That clerk actually had the nerve to tell the customer, "I don't believe we can handle a check. How much ready money have you in your pocket?" The farmer investigated and fished up two silver dollars. "Well, that's all right. I will take this," said the clerk and that is what he got for the shoes. Pretty soft for the clerk, eh, what?

According to certain people, a newspaper office is just exactly the opposite of what heaven is, but The Intelligencer was accused of being a new kind of concern yesterday. An old old gentleman tottered into the office yesterday and exclaimed "Say, mister, give me one dozen fruit rubbers and four yards of calico and hurry up because my wife said if I wasn't back in an hour she would take the hide off me."

When the excursion train to Washington pulled out of the local yard yesterday one man remarked, "That train is pretty heavily loaded, isn't it?" Another spoke up and said, "Well, I should say so, I saw Col. Blank, editor of the Morning Scream on there."

A newspaper man got into a political argument yesterday and cited a certain political affidavit to prove his argument. A county official then spoke up and said: "What is an affidavit worth for \$3 I can get five or six people to swear that you are crazy." There are plenty of people in Anderson willing to swear that all the newspaper men are crazy and that none of them ever had any sense.

All of the foregoing might remind Spartansburg people of a lawyer they once had there. His learned barrister would hear a client state his case and then would ask: "Well, I will take this case for \$100 if you furnish the witnesses, while I will have to charge you \$250 if I furnish the witnesses."

It is reasonable to believe that the readers of the paper have now reached "The Limit" of their patience.

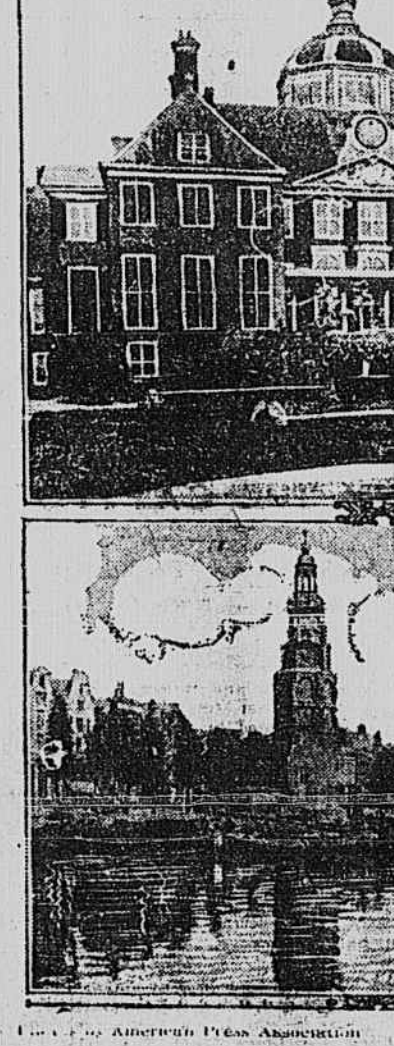
HOLLAND AS A BUFFER STATE

Covers a Sea Gate For or Against England or Germany.

CONTROLS RIVER SCHELDT.

Neutrality Was Guaranteed by Treaty in 1870—Question Revived When Queen Wilhelmina of Holland Married a German Prince in 1901—A German May Become Holland's King. Controversy in 1910 and 1911 Over Holland's Coast Defenses—Alleged Meddling by Germany to Thwart England.

THAT the Kaiser should be so prompt to make a move on Germany's northwestern frontier when about to antagonize France and Great Britain did surprise no one who has followed up the drift in Europe for the last few years. It has been hinted that Germany could



TIMELY PHOTOS FROM HOLLAND.

The top photo shows the home of the war minister of Holland, at The Hague, where important conferences are being held. The lower one is a view in the heart of the city of Rotterdam, one of the chief cities of the kingdom.

afford to take great chances in order to hold the mouths of the river Rhine. This she might do by controlling both Holland and Belgium, and to control either would strengthen her situation on the coast closest to England.

The importance to Germany, in the event of her wishing to branch into world politics, of the mouth of the Scheldt has been considered many times within the century. Attention was called to it when in 1801 the reigning queen of Holland married a prince of a German house.

German King Possible.

The matter of the royal succession in Holland is one of vital importance. According to the present provision, the succession is in the direct male line or failing that the female line. Should there be no legal heir the sovereign or parliament, or if the sovereign is dead parliament alone, is to name a successor, the number of the members of parliament being doubled for the occasion. These peculiar conditions were brought about through the marriage of Queen Wilhelmina with Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, for the latter, being in the line of succession, gives to Germany the preponderant chance for gaining a foothold in the country.

Amazing German Proposal.

In 1911 a German engineer issued a pamphlet in which he argued for the importance of Holland's absorption by Germany as a protection against England. Said he: "The absolute incorporation of Holland into the German empire is the only guarantee of the continued maintenance of her colonial possessions. The English hydra could not then stretch its tentacles toward the islands of the Sonde. If we were in Holland we would have within our reach the head of that insatiable hydra—within our reach in the sense that in the actual state of science the maritime situation of England does not longer constitute an absolute guarantee. The Prussian's foot on the head of the hydra will suffice that the long tentacles will finally drop their prey. In a word, we should have a door of attack against England."

All this meant that, in order to save her colonies from the English, Holland

should give them to Germany. They should seek (the Hollanders) to have their state made a part of the Germanic confederation.

Fortified to Aid Germany?

Back in 1870, when the war broke out between France and Prussia, there was a momentary fear that either power might disregard treaties of neutrality for the sake of military advantage. The British foreign office approached both belligerents on the subject, and both consented to sign treaties pledging themselves to hold Belgian territory inviolable.

The guarantee was honorably observed by both sides, and the question of Belgium's status in case of war was never thought of again until the government of Holland took the resolution of fortifying its seacoast about the beginning of 1910. This movement was said to have been the result of pressure from the Kaiser, who feared an invasion of Holland by England threatening Germany with a flank attack. The Dutch project included the construction of fortifications strong enough to stop the navigation of the Scheldt in case of war. Belgium at once became panic stricken, and the powers opposed to Germany opened their eyes to a new situation.

Temporary Defeat of German Hopes.

In 1911 the coast defense bill failed in the Dutch states general. This

When the bountiful dinner was spread under the shade of the magnificent trees at Williamston Springs, the invocation was delivered by Rev. Mike McGee, of Honea Path, and then the family fell to on what they pronounced to be the best picnic dinner ever spread. There was an abundance of everything good to eat.

In the afternoon Rev. Mike McGee gave an interesting account of the earlier members of the family and pleasing addresses were delivered by J. S. Fowler, of Anderson, and A. J. Sprowles, of Greenwood.

Members of the McGee family said last night that credit for the day should go to J. R. McGee, who not only presided over yesterday's reunion in fine fashion, but succeeded in putting the proposition on foot at the start. He did much to make the day a success.

TOWNVILLE ITEMS

Townville Aug. 13.—The farmers around Townville and Oak Dale were blessed last Tuesday evening with a delightful rain which made the crops look a little fresher, but we are needing another rain.

Mr. Willie Whitfield of near Oak Dale was a business visitor to Townville Saturday.

Miss Annie Bell Whitfield and brother were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Whitfield Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. J. B. Campbell who has been on the sick list is getting along nicely, and was a visitor to Townville on Sunday afternoon.

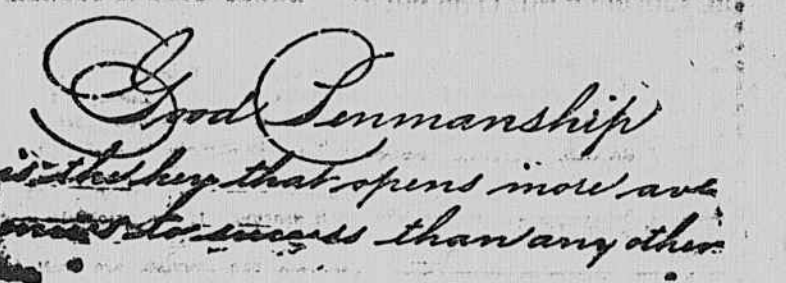
Dr. W. T. Hunt, who has been to Baltimore is at home again and is getting along nicely. We are glad to see him home again with his friends and relatives.

The McGee family who have been the guests of Miss Grace Routh have gone home.

There were quite a number of boys and girls left Saturday for Rabun Gap, Ga. Some of them are to enter college.

The Misses Johnson, Mr. Frank Campbell and sister, Miss Annie, Geo. Holt, John Martin, Fred Cromer, Buck Cole and sister and several others from around Cross Roads were in the party. We wish them a successful year in their studies.

Little Miss Thelma Campbell was a visitor to Townville last week with her aunt Mrs. S. C. Campbell.



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Oldest Member of Family Present Was 80, While Youngest is Six Weeks Old

Williamston certainly saw a gathering of the clan yesterday when the McGee family gathered at that place for the reunion. Members of the family from every section were in attendance and none of them ever spent a more pleasant day than was spent yesterday. Between 200 and 300 members of the family were present and they came by every imaginable means of locomotion. Some came on the steam cars, some on the electric cars, some in buggies and carriages, some in automobiles and some walked in for the day. They were present from Greenwood, Greenville, Abbeville, Anderson and Oconee counties.

All these people are descendants of John McGee and his wife, who was a Miss Sims. The original settlers came from Rockingham, N. C., about the year 1772 and settled on a plantation where the manufacturing plant of Ware Shoals now stands. The trip was made to this place on Tuesday, Mrs. McGee riding with her husband walked, carrying in his arms all the earthly possessions. They bought from the government on a credit, several hundred acres of land in what is now Greenwood county, paying \$1.40 per acre for it. To them were born five sons, William, Surrell, Abner, John and Mike.

The oldest descendant at yesterday's reunion was J. S. McGee, of Greenville, who is 80 years of age and the youngest was Harold Rudolph McGee, the six-weeks-old son of Harold McGee, a well known insurance man of Anderson.

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